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NEW SCHEME FOR DESERTED INDIAN WOMEN
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Will the Minister of OVERSEAS INDIAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of cases sponsored under the New Scheme for Deserted Indian Women for giving legal/financial assurance to women deserted by their overseas Indian spouse; and

(b) the names of Indian Women`s Association/NGO`s empanelled with the Indian Missions under the Scheme?

Answer

MINISTER OF OVERSEAS INDIAN AFFAIRS (SHRI VAYALAR RAVI)

(a): The Indian Missions abroad have sponsored 13 cases under the scheme to provide legal / financial assistance to Indian women deserted by their overseas Indian spouses.

(b) A list of Indian Women`s Organizations/ Indian Community Associations and NGOs empanelled with the Indian Missions / Posts abroad is annexed.